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TO AMEMBASSY TEHRAN

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SUBJECT: PAYMENT TO US FIRM

1. URS SYSTEMS CORP. OF SAN MATEO, CALIF. PROVIDED DESIGNS FOR IRANIAN ARMY HOUSING PROJECT IN TEHRAN THROUGH ITS AFFILIATE JOHN A BLUME AND ASSOCIATES - IRAN, WHICH WAS SUB-CONTRACTOR TO ARKAN CONSTRUCTION CO. URS RECEIVED DOLS 13,000 PAYMENT EARLY IN PROJECT BUT HAS NOT SO FAR RECEIVED FINAL PAYMENT OF ABOUT DOLS 200,000. ITS UNDERSTANDING IS THAT PAYMENT WAS WITHHELD BY ARKAN FOR ALLEGED FAILURE PROVIDE REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION. ALI MOGHADAM OF BLUME ASSOCIATES HAS INFORMED URS THAT DOCUMENTATION PROBLEM RESOLVED BUT HAS NOT INDICATED WHEN (OR IF) PAYMENT WILL BE MADE.

2. WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION EMBASSY CAN PROVIDE. UNDERSTAND URS/BLUME OFFICIALS SHARPE AND HABIB DISCUSSED PROBLEM WITH ELLSWORTH ON ONE OR TWO OCCASIONS. KISSINGER

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